

ORE 33-50      5/12/50      GSJ

1. It ~~wouldxxxxxxx~~ does not meet the terms of reference for an ORE as decided by IAC representatives (see Long's report of meeting.) It does not meet usual ~~specificationsxxxxxxx~~ specifications for an ORE. To make it meet either, you would have to write an altogether different paper--- an impossibility in the time allowed. It is conceivable that a satisfactory ORE might be got out before the Rally begins, which would, in effect, use this particular event as a starting point for a discussion of Soviet plans for eviction of otherpowers from Berlin but this would mean a couple of grim weekends for a lot of people and might not produce commensurate results.
2. You could produce this, or part of it, as a coordinated IM. Anyone wanting to do so would have the burden of proof as to why such a coordinated view was needed at this point when (see Bob's meeting again) all hands are obviously in agreement on the points to be made. Also, to re-confirm our last confirmation of what we said before would seem mildly tautological ~~at~~ in view of the fact that interested parties in the Rally matter would hardly expect us to change the estimate right now without letting them know.

(Actually, of course, "ORE 33-50" as now stated is nothing but another

3. You could run an abstract in the Weekly. (This is being done.)

4. You could cancel the whole project.